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SUBJ: BELGRADE CSCE -- NORWEGIAN ENVIRONMENT PROPOSAL BASED ON
BM/31

1. DURING DECEMBER 15 BASKET TWO NATO CAUCUS, NORWEGIAN REP
ASKED FOR COMMENTS ON FOLLOWING TEXT ENVIRONMENT "BASED" ON
BM/31:

BEGIN TEXT.

WITH REFERENCE TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE FINAL ACT RELATING
TO THE PROTECTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT, THE
PARTICIPATING STATES EXPRESS THEIR SATISFACTION WITH THE FOLLOW-
UP WORK DONE BY THE ECE IN THE ENVIRONMENT FIELD, AND REAFFIRM
THE WILL OF THE CSCE STATES TO PRESS ON WITH THIS WORK. THE
PARTICIPATING STATES CONSIDER THAT THE CONVENING OF A HIGH
LEVEL ECE MEETING ON THE ENVIRONMENT WOULD BE AN IMPORTANT
CONTRIBUTION TO THIS END AND EXPRESS THE STRONG HOPE
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THAT A DECISION TO CONVENE SUCH A HIGH-LEVEL MEETING WILL BE
TAKEN AT THE THIRTY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ECE. END TEXT.

2. SEVERAL DELEGATES INCLUDING US NOTED THAHUSECOND
SENTENCE TENDS TO PREJUDGE DECISIONS YET TO BE TAKEN IN
ECE. SOME REPS WANTED TO REFER MATTER TO THEIR HOME
OFFICES AND FRENCH REP SUGGESTED THAT PROPOSAL WITHOUT

REFERENCE TO "HIGH LEVEL MEETING" MIGHT BE RESERVED FOR BARGAINING PURPOSES IN JANUARY. WHEN NORWEGIAN REP EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT WITH ALLIES RESPONSES, US REP RECALLED THAT BASIC ARGUMENTS GIVEN IN NATO CAUCUS WERE SAME AS THOSE PRESENTED AGAINST SIMILAR SOVIET ENVIRONMENT PROPOSAL (BM/7).

3. THUS FAR FOLLOWING SPECIFIC SUGGESTIONS FOR REWORDING HAVE BEEN MADE:

A) SUBSTITUTION OF PHRASE "PRESS ON WITH" WITH "ACTIVELY PURSUE";

B) SUBSTITUTION OF WORD "WOULD" IN SECOND SENTENCE BY "COULD";

C) SUBSTITUTION OF PHRASE "THIS END" BY "THE PROTECTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT"; AND

D) ELIMINATION OF WORD "STRONG" AND SECOND REFERENCE TO "HIGH-LEVEL".

NORWEGIAN REP, IN PRINCIPLE, ACCEPTED SUGGESTIONS BUT VOICED DESIRE TO RETAIN WORD "STRONG".

4. US DEL CIRCULATED FOLLOWING DRAFT AFTER CAUCUS MEETING:

BEGIN TEXT. WITH REFERENCE TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE FINAL ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT, THE PARTICIPATING STATES EXPRESS THEIR SATISFACTION WITH THE FOLLOW-UP WORK DONE BY THE ECE, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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REAFFIRM THEIR WILL TO HAVE THIS WORK PURSUED ACTIVELY, AND AWAIT WITH GREAT INTEREST THE DECISIONS OF THE THIRTY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ECE IN 1978 ON THIS IMPORTANT ISSUE. END TEXT.

5. BASKET TWO NATO CAUCUS WILL MEET DEC 16 TO FURTHER DISCUSS TEXTS AND TIMING OF POSSIBLE SUBMISSION TO WORKING GROUP. GOLDBERG

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